

FORCE READY TO MEET DIRIGIBLE

Giant ZR-2 Will Be Met by
Naval Crew of 250 Men
and Officers.

(By the Associated Press)
LAKEHURST, N. J., Aug. 22.—Two hundred and fifty naval officers and enlisted men were at the air station here today ready to anchor the giant dirigible ZR-2 when she noses down at the completion of her voyage over the waters of the Atlantic from England. The great airship is to start on her transatlantic journey next Thursday August 25.

More than \$5,000,000 has been spent on the mammoth hangar built to shelter the armored airship, and hundreds of thousands more have gone into the skies at any hour of day or night and in any weather Searchlights perched on the roof of the hangar, 190 feet above ground, and floodlights near them will illuminate the sky and brighten the acres of the landing field. The ZR-2 reaches her new home between twilight and dawn. Down beneath the runways which are to guide the dirigible into her shed are other lights.

Unless the weather is bad the ZR-2 probably will not be towed into the hangar immediately after her arrival. The 250-foot mooring mast, which has the relation to a dirigible that hitching posts have to a horse, is not yet complete, but a three-point mooring is ready. This consists of three huge concrete blocks, set 800 feet apart in a triangle. Heavy cables operated by pulleys converge within the triangles. To these the tip of the transatlantic flier can be fastened, holding the craft securely while leaving it free to swing its nose into any varying wind. Usually such aircraft are left moored outdoors except in bad weather or when repairs are necessary.

Trolleys Pull Ship Down
The old means of getting the airship to go in out of the rain can be done away with when the ZR-2 is towed into her shed. In bygone days the only method was for several score men to tug away at ropes like a host of Lilliputians bringing a new toy to Gargantua's nursery. Machinery will do most of the work of ensconcing the ZR-2 in her berth. Triple-tracked runways extending through the hangar and 1,500 feet beyond the doors on each end carry hooks and long cables which will be attached to the big cigar-shaped craft. Beneath the tracks are trolleys to pull the airship into the hangar.

Gigantic doors at both ends of the hangar slide open in 10 or 15 minutes, large trucks operated by machinery performed easily a task that would require 1,000 husky men if the doors were pushed along the rails like their prototypes in many homes. Trucks, cranes and doors roll to one side leaving a clear entrance for the airship.

Captain Frank T. Evans, son of the famous Admiral "Fighting Bob" Evans, is commanding officer of the air station and all its remarkable activities. "We are ready for her," he said when word came that the airship was on its way. "Let her come right along."

**MAJESTIC LINER
MAY TAKE WATER
SOON FOR DUTY**

(By the Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—The new 5000 ton liner, Majestic, the largest ship in the new world, will be put into service on the New York and Southampton line, which starts running next spring. It was announced by the bureau of merchant marines today. The Majestic, which was to have been named "Bismarck" by its original German owner, is now being finished at Hamburg.

The craft is two thousand tons larger than the Leviathan and ten thousand tons larger than the Olympia. It will carry a crew of 1100 and have passenger accommodations for 4,100.

**EL PASO BOY MURDERED
BY MEXICAN BANDITS**

(By the Associated Press)
EL PASO, Tex., Aug. 22.—Bennett Floyd, 18 years of age, was murdered by bandits in Mexico on August 18, according to a message received in El Paso today by his father.

Phone 4 is the place to get service in job work or advertising.

FLOOD RECEDING IN STATE HOUSE

High Waters in Phoenix
Capital Building Are
Lower Today.

(By the Associated Press)
PHOENIX, Ariz., Aug. 22.—Flood waters in the state capitol building here were slowly receding today after reaching a level of two feet in the first floor, where the office of the governor and his assistants is located. The damage to the capitol property was estimated at \$500,000 by members of an investigating party who were checking up the loss.

In addition to the loss of irreplaceable records in the store room, much damage was done to material stored as well as other capital property. Two companies of state troops were called to guard the flooded territory. Residents in the threatened district were warned last night to move to higher ground.

SINN FEIN REPLY SENT TO BRITAIN

De Valera's Representative
to United States Back
to Ireland.

(By the Associated Press)
DUBLIN, Aug. 22.—Steps were taken today to consider the Sinn Fein reply to Great Britain's peace proposal. Meetings of the public last week and the conference between Eamonn de Valera and the British believed to have laid the grounds for this early reply.

Harry J. Boland, who was Eamonn de Valera's representative in the United States until after the peace conference, has returned to Ireland. This is considered important as it is thought he will prepare a record outline of the conditions of the state of affairs. It has been understood that until the meeting of parliament that sufficient steps might be taken before Boland and his colleagues could arrive at a conclusion to make peace possible.

N. Y. MARKET IS SHOCKED BY BIG HOUSE'S FAILURE

(By the Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Failure of the Pripps and company, one of the leading markets in the New York stock exchange, was announced today.

This occasioned considerable surprise as the firm, organized in its present form, has been a prominent commission house for the past ten years and there has been no intimation of a cause for financial embarrassment. In some quarters the exchange it was said that the cause for failure was the fact that the customers being unable to meet their obligations. Alfred Putman, a member of another stock exchange, was appointed receiver.

C. C. Pripps, a member of the Pripps and company stock exchange market, until his death a year ago was a dealer in motor and tire shares, which is believed to be one of the causes of the company's failure.

Within the past year, four stock exchanges have failed. One was recently re-instated as a member of the exchange, after having met all outstanding obligations.

BONE DRY MOVEMENT STARTED IN MEXICO CITY

(By the Associated Press)
MEXICO CITY, Aug. 22.—There is a well defined movement here which is said to have some official backing to make the federal district which embraces Mexico City bone dry by September 1.

It is proposed to close all saloons and cantinas and to stop the sale of all intoxicants, including pulque, the principal native drink.

During the administration of provisional President de la Huerta several prohibition measures were enforced but were eventually lifted after violent protests had been made by liquor vendors and their thirsty customers.

BENNETT BOY HAS SPENT LIFE HERE

Lad Held for Killing of
"Mexican Joe" Is Only
16 Years Old.

When Lloyd Bennett, now known to be only 16 years of age, comes into the court-room Thursday morning for his preliminary on the charge of killing "Mexican Bill" Costello in Glenwood park Sunday night, August 14, he will be surrounded by members of the family, practically all of whom, have lived here for years.

This became known this morning when Mrs. T. E. Bennett, mother of the boy, made her first statement in connection with the shooting for which the son is held.

Every day since the boy was placed in the county jail to await his hearing, Mrs. Bennett has carried his meals to him, conversing with him while he ate. So far, Lloyd has made no statement, even to her, concerning the shooting, she declared Monday morning.

For several years, in spite of his youth, Lloyd Bennett has made his own living and at the same time helped to support the family, according to the story given this morning by his frail little grief-stricken mother. Last year he, with his brother, made a crop near Lawton, the two tending 160 acres of land. Last winter he worked as a teamster at Fort Sill and since his return to Ada he has been doing odd jobs to help support himself and other members of the family.

Mrs. Bennett said. His father is not dead, as previously reported, but has lived here for more than 20 years. He is employed at the cement plant where four other boys, half brothers of Lloyd's, are also working.

Jess, half brother to Lloyd, died of influenza while on transport for fluenza with the A. E. F. it is said.

Although nothing definite is known as to the defense that will be offered by the boy's counsel Thursday, it is expected that startling testimony will be brought to light by relatives. Mrs. Bennett declared Monday that her boy, scarcely more than a lad, had served as a breadwinner for the family for months and that letters from his former employers at Lawton and Fort Sill would be sent here immediately.

CLANS WAR AGAIN IN MURDER TRIAL

But Soldiers Guard Court
Room to Prevent Open
Outbreaks.

(By the Associated Press)
MOUNT VERNON, Ky., Aug. 22.—With 25 national guardsmen and 20 special deputies on guard at the Rock Castle court house, the trial of E. J. Bailey, charged with the slaying of N. O. Beverly, was started today. Bailey was brought to Mt. Vernon on a change of venue from Vernon county where the slaying occurred. Approximately 100 men from the White-lee clans were present at the opening of the trial. This is the result of the feud which has torn Kentucky in recent years with more than a score of murders.

The troops and special deputies were called out to keep down any possible feudalistic spirit. Judge B. E. Etherum, who is conducting the court, who had the special deputies in the court room, and Major J. L. Billon, in charge of the guardsmen, have issued the warnings to the clansmen against carrying weapons to the trial. The slaying for which Bailey is being tried took place on April 7 last, near Barboursville.

COUNTY EXCISE BOARD ADJOURNS TO THURSDAY

A short meeting was held by the county excise board today but the board decided to adjourn until Thursday. All reports have not yet been received from the state board of equalization. Thursday will see the first action by the board, according to R. Irwin, a member, who has received most of the reports, only a few of the public service corporations valuations being cut. They will do as much as possible with the reports already received if the remaining reports are not here at the next meeting.

Estimates for the United States Express company, the Pullman car company, and the Yoncos Telephone Exchange company are yet to be received.

PRATT GOING TO A LARGER FIELD

Accepts Leadership of Boys'
and Girls' Club Work
for State.



Prof. B. A. Pratt

Prof. B. A. Pratt, who for several years has been at the head of the department of agriculture of the East Central Normal School, has resigned his position and has accepted the position as state leader of the Boys' and Girls' agricultural club work for Oklahoma, with headquarters at Stillwater. This is considered an enviable promotion for Prof. Pratt and his friends will be pleased to know that he is meritoriously climbing so rapidly.

Mr. Pratt and his family have been in Ada long enough to make a host of friends. These will regret the leaving of the Pratt family, but opportunity in a larger field offered itself, and Mr. Pratt felt he could not turn it down. His family will be here for some time, though Mr. Pratt is already on the job at Stillwater. He will return to Ada about September 1 to complete his work as secretary of the fair association.

Prof. Pratt is a graduate of the Emporia, Kansas, high school, Kansas State Normal school and Kansas State Agricultural College, and he has his master's degree from Peabody College, Nashville, Tenn. His teaching experience consists of six years in the public schools of Kansas, professor of agriculture four years in the state normal school at Warrensburg, Mo., instructor two years in Peabody College, Nashville, and professor of agriculture in the East Central Normal since 1917.

In addition to this, he was director of the experiment station at Warrensburg at the time he was professor in the Normal, working in co-operation with the Missouri State College of Agriculture. He was also manager of the Knapp School Farm at Nashville for two years, while he was doing work in the college. During the war he was emergency farm demonstrator working in connection with J. B. Hill of this county. During the year of 1919-20, he was state leader in war garden work.

In his new position, Mr. Pratt will be in charge of the club work, one of the most important phases of the agricultural extension service of the A. and M. College. Those who know of his work here say his loss will be sadly felt at the East Central Normal, but that he will be a strong addition to the extension forces of the agricultural college. While here, he took a leading part in all endeavors to better farming conditions and farm practices.

PONTOTOC OFFICERS GIVEN HIGH PRAISE

High praise for the efficiency of members of Pontotoc county sheriff force is contained in an article published last week by the Johnston County Capital-Democrat, published at Tishomingo, a copy of which has just been received here.

Following is the clipping: "While in Ada last week Rube had the pleasure of again meeting Bob Duncan, sheriff of Pontotoc county. Bob is acknowledged to be the best sheriff in the state and a few hours visit around his office will convince anyone that he and his deputies are always on the job, night and day. His undersheriff Mr. Kennedy, is a fine, affable gentleman, always on the job and keeping tab on every case filed. Byars Chapman, Mr. Duncan's field deputy, is known as one of the most fearless officers in the state, and besides, he is as accommodating as he is fearless."

"Mr. Chapman was formerly a United States deputy marshal and knows every angle of the game. Bob Duncan is to be congratulated upon securing the services of men like the above connected with his office and the people of Pontotoc county are rightfully proud of Bob."

Oklahoma Weather.

Generally fair tonight and Tuesday.

JUDGE WILL PASS ON BOND TUESDAY

Decision on Habeas Corpus
Petitions of Three Men
Is Due.

District Judge Hal Johnson of Shawnee will return to Ada Tuesday morning to render his decision on the habeas corpus hearing held on the recent visit here to obtain bond for Diet Chapman, Obie Dyer and Jim Good, held in connection with the killing at Roff last May of George Martin.

The three were bound over to the district court recently by Justice of the Peace H. J. Brown and are being held without bond. In the habeas corpus hearing here on Judge Johnson's first visit, recorded testimony taken in the preliminary of the three men was introduced. Because of the fact that he was besieged with a mountain of work, Judge Johnson was unable to reach a decision in the case and deferred judgment. No intimation as to what his answer to the petition will be has been received here yet though the opinion probably will be handed down immediately after he arrives at the court house Tuesday.

In case bail is allowed the three men a precedent in the same case, set in June by the criminal court of appeals at Oklahoma City when it denied bond to Frank McClintock, also held in connection with Martin's death, will be broken. Jim Good, whose home is at Roff, is represented in the habeas corpus proceedings by A. L. Bullock and Chapman and Dyer, of this city, by John Crawford, of the law firm of King and Crawford. In the preliminaries, an attempt was made by the counsel for the defense to establish an alibi for Jim Good.

KONAWA SENDS ASHER NINE DOWN IN DEFEAT

Konawa again held their claim to be the strongest independent team in its section of the state when the Asher ball club took defeat Sunday in a one sided game by a score of 12 to 2. Konawa sluggers hit Asher's pitching almost at will.

Asher defeated the strong Wewoka team on Saturday by a score of 6 to 4. Konawa has taken most of the games this season and have a strong line-up. Walker and Terry former the battery for Konawa.

LABOR MAY ELECT PARLEY DELEGATE

American Federation Asks
Representative at Disarmament Meet.

(By the Associated Press)
ATLANTA CITY, N. J., Aug. 22.—President Harding was asked today by representatives of the American Federation of Labor to permit labor representatives to sit in the disarmament conference to be held in Washington. This was the result of a meeting held by the American Federation of Labor, who appointed Samuel Gompers as spokesman. Gompers stated that as president of the federation he had been communicating with labor bodies of other nations with the view of getting their attitude toward having labor representatives at the disarmament conference.

Gompers stated that he had received letters of appreciation from President Harding after a visit to the White House and that the American Federation would be permitted to have their representatives at the conference.

"Labor has always been in favor of disarmament," Mr. Gompers said, "and the labor of America is behind President Harding in his move to bring about world peace through disarmament."

Wage reduction of laboring employees and tariff legislation were also considered by the executive counsel today. It was planned to make a protest against the tariff law.

NEW GRAVEL CONTRACT IS LET FOR TWO BLOCKS

Another graveling contract has been let by property owners in 500 and 600 blocks on E. Twelfth street. Work was started today on laying gravel.

It is also reported that efforts are being made by property owners in the 400 block on East Twelfth street to get graveling. This will connect with the graveling on South Mississippi avenue.

FOUR ARE KILLED AS TRAIN STRIKES AUTO

(By the Associated Press)
WALNUT, Kan., Aug. 22.—Two boys and two girls were killed last night when a fast freight struck the automobile in which they were riding. Two other girls and a boy who were in the car were injured.

11 PERSONS LOSE LIFE IN BLAZES

Death Toll May Reach 40
in Hotel Fire at Macon
Georgia.

(By the Associated Press)
MACON, Ga., Aug. 22.—Eleven persons were believed early today to have lost their lives in a fire which last night destroyed the Brown House, one of the oldest hotels here. Ten bodies have been removed from the ruins.

Owing to the loss of the hotel register no estimate could be made on the number of missing guests, it was said early today. Hotel employees said that the death toll had reached 40.

Starting with the explosion of some chemicals in an adjoining drug store, which blew the side out of the structure, the fire quickly shot out, catching the adjoining building, cutting off part of the exits of the hotel, and it is believed to have resulted in several deaths below the falling wall.

WARD BUILDINGS READY TO START

All Grade Pupils to Find
Room in School Early
in September.

Accommodations for all pupils in grade schools will be available this year, according to City Superintendent J. E. Hickman, who stated today that with the opening of the new building he believed that the first enrolment would be handled satisfactorily. Rooms will become crowded later in the fall, he believes.

School starts September 12, in both the grades and high school. Larger enrolments than ever before are expected in each. With six word schools handling pupils, it is believed that yet another school building is needed, or at least will be needed before another school year.

Mr. Hickman stated this morning that he had completed the rounds of all the school buildings in the city and that outside of a few minor repairs which are being made, the buildings are in good shape for the coming school year. Office work is being pushed to completion and everything will be in shape for the first day of school.

OKLAHOMA BOILS IN RECORD HEAT ATTACK SUNDAY

(By the Associated Press)
OKLAHOMA CITY, Aug. 22.—Officials of the United States weather bureau here announced today that temperatures ran as high as 107 in the state Sunday, according to records sent in to them. Lawton and Durant reported the highest temperatures.

The average temperature for the day was 103.2, and the weather bureau officials said that this was the hottest day of the summer. Prospects for a break in this continued heat wave are good, and the weather forecast shows that a change is expected. No rain was reported in the state last night.

Sunday was the hottest day of the year for Ada, also, the mercury jumping to 103, according to E. A. Macmillan, local weather man. The temperature had reached 102 shortly before noon and went to its highest early in the afternoon. A minimum temperature of 74 was recorded here Sunday.

NEW CHILD LABOR LAW RULED TODAY BEYOND JUSTICE

(By the Associated Press)
GREENSBORO, N. C., Aug. 22.—Judge J. W. Boyd in federal court today held that the new federal child labor law was unconstitutional. The Owen child labor law was also held unconstitutional by the judge two years ago, which decision was upheld by the Supreme Court of the United States.

BODY OF DEAD WOMAN IS IDENTIFIED AGAIN

GRANITE CITY, Ill., Aug. 22.—The body identified as Mrs. Ferena Gilliland, 20 years old, who later was found working as a waitress in Cincinnati, today was identified as Mrs. Gorman, following the arrest of her husband, Arthur Gorman, and son, John, 16, at Junction City. Warrants charging murder have been issued against the older and younger Gormans.

FUGITIVE COMES BACK TO FAMILY

Tishomingo Man Returns,
Weary and Footsore,
to Testify.

Richard Lowry, who fled from his family and moving outfit when he was approached by Pontotoc and Johnston county officers along the road south of Ada recently in an effort to get him as a witness in an important murder hearing at Tishomingo, has returned.

After almost a week of wandering, the fugitive came into Tishomingo late last week, hunted up the county attorney, and said he was ready to submit to being made a witness and to "tell all he knew." Lowry's story started with the visit of an alleged crowd of "White Caps" to his home shortly before a sensational murder was committed near Tishomingo. Complication, that arose with the murder involved Lowry as a witness and, fearing that he was about to become the victim of mob violence, he made a hurried exit from his home, heading north.

Is Wanted in Ada.
Lowry is still wanted here on a charge of carrying a pistol and resisting an officer.

Following is an account of Lowry's surrender to Johnston county officers taken from the Johnston County Capital Democrat:

"Lowry said he was tired of dodging the officers, lying in the woods, and was footsore. I want to be with my wife and child," he said, "and I am going to tell the truth in the Williams case."

"When a reporter arrived at the Lowry home, he found a tall, sallow complexioned young man about 24 years old with about 10 days' growth of beard on his face. He was footsore and weary, having been on the dodge from officers for a week.

"Hello, Richard," said his sister-in-law, a young girl from Maud who was staying with her sister while Lowry was on the scout. "You sure look tired and worn out."

"Yes," said Lowry, "I am worn out and could hardly get up when the boys came after me."

Hiding in Thicket.
Lowry was found by his friends on the Turnbill place, near Tishomingo. He was said to be hiding in a thicket and when friends went and told him that he was in no danger and was wrong in dodging the law, he came home with them, to tell the truth about the purported story he is alleged to have known.

"I have been through hell this week," Lowry is said to have told the city marshal of Tishomingo when he came in. Lowry said he signed no statement of any kind about the Williams murder and declared he did not know Marion Williams, the dead man.

ASHER SPLITS DOUBLE WITH WEWOKA NINE

(By the Associated Press)
ASHER, Aug. 22.—(Special)—Asher split with the Wewoka ball club in a series of two games here Friday and Saturday. Wewoka won Friday's game 10 to 0 and Asher took Saturday's game 5 to 4. Both games were played during the picnic which was held here on those days. Asher has been making a good record this season and although many of her games are lost, she has been able to make a better showing than ever before.

Alleged Slayer Ends Own Life by Poison on California Ranch

(By the Associated Press)
POINTERVILLE, Calif., Aug. 22.—O. H. Alexander, who, according to I. Bachman, a rancher near here, shot and instantly killed a man named Boffman yesterday in an auto when he refused to let his wife go with Alexander, was found dying on a ranch ten miles from here today. Alexander died before medical aid could be administered. One of the party, S. J. Smith, was of the opinion that Alexander had poisoned himself.

A small bottle containing the odor of a certain poison was found near the body of Alexander. Not far away, leaning against the unoccupied ranch house, was a shotgun, with which Alexander is said to have killed Boffman. Alexander was dead before the sheriff was able to summon aid.

BURRIS IS ARRESTED IN KENNEDY MURDER

(By the Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—A. L. Burris, who was arrested here ten days ago at the request of officials of Los Angeles, will leave for California today, where he will be held in connection with the murder of Belton Kennedy, according to William D. Bright, deputy for Los Angeles who leaves Chicago today.

U. S. Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—Forecast for the period August 22, 1921, to August 17, 1921, inclusive. West Gulf States: Generally fair weather, but with probability of widely scattered thunder showers; normal temperature. There are no indications at this time of a disturbance in the West Indies.

Upper Mississippi and lower Missouri Valleys: Generally fair weather except showers Tuesday or Wednesday; temperature near, or somewhat below, the normal.

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IMMIGRATION AGAIN

Congressman Isaac Siegel, of the committee of immigration, suggests sending the surplus immigrants coming to this country to the Hawaiian Islands. He says the whites of those islands want the Europeans to offset the growing Japanese menace. It is said there are now 100,000 Japanese out of a total population of 257,000 people in the islands. Judging from the rapidity of the production of the yellow races, one can judge as to the seriousness of the situation.

While we do not know how the natives of our island possessions feel about the matter, we are inclined to believe that the congressman is right. At least, one of two things ought to be done. We ought to stop Japanese immigration into the islands or we ought to encourage native Americans or well selected Europeans to go there. Some day, possibly in the dim future, trouble between America and Japan, is almost certain to come. When such comes, it will not be safe for our Pacific possessions, Hawaii, Guam and Philippines, to have more than a small percentage of Japanese population.

Of late years the Japanese in all these islands are going into industry and commerce. Formerly they were mostly agriculturally inclined.

If Congressman Siegel's plan will solve the growing yellow menace in the Pacific, we are for it. It is certainly worth considering and considering seriously.

Georgia farmers want to stop growing cotton for a year, to dispose of Mr. Boll Weevil. Not a bad idea. If all the cotton farmers would agree to raise no cotton for a year, the price would go up, the boll weevil might be eliminated, and possibly the boll worm and pink boll worm would be destroyed. But it will never be done. Nature did not intend for human beings to get by this easily. We must find a means of killing the boll weevils and the boll worms, and the means must not be so expensive that it cannot be used. Other pests have been handled; why not the cotton pests?

The floods of the Rockies have done untold damage and taken great toll in human life during the last ninety days. A little village in New Mexico a few days ago was well nigh wiped off the earth by a sudden cloudburst up the mountain sides, followed by torrential floods down the valleys. It all recalls that even an ordinary dry place may be wiped away by floods—a rainy season visited by a parching drouth or a cyclone may sweep across the calm generally windless region. Nature plays strange freaks and man has never yet devised a way to appease the wrath of the elements.

According to press reports the principle reason assigned by the trustees of Lanier University for electing Col. Simmons, head of the Ku Klux Klan, as president of the university, is that his wide acquaintances and notoriety as chief of the Klan will enable him to raise some needed funds for the school. Nothing is said about his qualifications from an educational standpoint, from which it may be inferred that the university is more interested in cash than in scholarship.

Oklahoma City has another murder mystery. The body of a wealthy man was found floating in a lake, indicating that he was foully murdered. Almost every day we hear of murders, the victims generally being men of wealth or influence. It seems to be a part of the general wave of lawlessness which is sweeping the country. Strict law enforcement and severe penalties for those convicted, with little chance for clemency, seems necessary to stop the wave. We must get away from too much sentimentality.

Babe Ruth continues to hit homeruns with his usual frequency. Since no pitcher in the American League seems able to stop the might swatting of the erstwhile pitcher, we hope to see him in the world's championship games to determine if there are any pitchers in the world whose slants he is not able to solve with such precision as to send the ball yards over the park fences.

The inhabitants along a section of the Kankakee river in Illinois are up in arms. They have declared war. An outlaw fish, said to be four feet long, has been playing havoc with the fisherman's lines. So they have formed a posse and are going after the criminal. It may be true, but the thing sounds like a fish tale to us. Here's betting two bits to the hole in a doughnut they never catch him.

One of New Orleans department stores has put a ban on its employees wearing bobbed hair, lace stockings, rolled down stockings, short skirts, lattice work sweaters, and "make up". Now if a ban is put on low-neck waists, high sleeves, one-piece bathing suits, and short skirts, the firm will have to import workers.

ANENT THE BOBBED HAIR QUESTION



The Forum of the Press

Senator Lodge's Appointment

St. Worth Star Telegram: It is entirely proper that Senator Henry Cabot Lodge should be appointed a member of the American delegation to the disarmament conference. Considering the course which the discussion of our foreign relations has taken during the past two years it would have caused surprise had not the chairman of the Foreign Relations committee of the senate been appointed to this conference. The president himself was so recently a member of the United States senate.

Moreover, in view of the prominent part which Senator Lodge played in defeating ratification of the Treaty of Versailles, and of the fact that the disarmament conference bids fair to become in a very real sense a sort of a reconvening of the peace conference, it would have been out of keeping with the policy of the republican party not to name Senator Lodge.

But aside from all this, Senator Lodge undoubtedly is one of our most able men. Nobody will accuse us of being unduly partial to him, for we have found ourselves out of agreement with him most of the time during the past two years. Moreover, we have been at a loss to understand the non-chalant manner in which he has taken opposite sides of the same question during a comparatively short period of time. But we have never questioned either his ability or his patriotism. Our chief criticism of him has been that he, as Oliver Goldsmith said of Edmund Burke, "gave up to party what was meant for mankind," and that his narrow partisanship frequently has driven him to take courses which were unworthy of him. However, in the present instance the prestige of his party is bound up with the success of the enterprise, and so much depends upon that success that we may be sure his splendid talents will be of great value in achieving it.

There probably will be a disposition in certain quarters to criticize his appointment on partisan grounds. In that event Senator Lodge will be receiving his own medicine, so to speak. For our own part we regard it as a very fitting appointment, and one which will result in good to the country and to the world.

ADA TRAIN SCHEDULE

Frisco Railroad
NORTH
No. 118—Lv. Daily.....3:57 a. m.
No. 510—Lv. Daily.....12:05 p. m.
No. 512—Lv. Daily.....4:20 p. m.

SOUTH
No. 117—Lv. Daily.....11:52 p. m.
No. 511—Lv. Daily.....1:55 p. m.
No. 507—Ar. Daily.....7:10 p. m.

Santa Fe Railroad
EAST
No. 450—Lv. Daily.....12:10 p. m.
(Local freight, daily ex. Sunday)
No. 446—Ar. Daily.....11:40 a. m.
(Stops here)

WEST
No. 449—Lv. Daily.....10:05 a. m.
(Local freight, daily ex. Sunday)
No. 445—Lv. Daily.....12:20 p. m.

M. K. & T. Railway

EAST
No. 20—Lv. Daily.....11:19 a. m.
No. 16—Lv. Daily.....10:18 p. m.

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No. 19—Ar. Daily.....4:34 p. m.
No. 15—Ar. Daily.....5:42 a. m.

NEW METHODS OF FIGHTING FIRES TO BE DEBATED

(By the Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, August 22.—New methods of fighting fires in Oklahoma, as many methods preventive as those which entail rescue work after flames have been started, will be explained by national fire fighters at the convention of the Oklahoma State Fireman's Association, at Shawnee, Okla., September 12 to 14, according to announcement Saturday of John Connelly, state fire marshal.

From the time the convention is called to order by President Couch, and the keys of the city turned over to the firemen by the mayor of Shawnee, until the "stag party" and smoker on the final night, education fills the program. "For instance, few people know the work of the seven other departments here at the state house which must be co-operative with the state fire marshal to prevent fires," Connelly said today.

The president of the board of agriculture is connected with the department through his agents in preventing rural and forest fires, Connelly added. The state insurance commission, the state commissioner of health, the corporation commission, the superintendent of public instruction, and the chief mine inspector all work through

their departments to prevent fire hazards, according to Connelly.

"Arson prosecutions are real preventatives of fire," he continued. "When we prosecute one man for arson, when he is arrested, even ten homes I believe are saved from fire. Henry Moss, special agent of the national board of fire underwriters of the western department at Chicago, Ill., has been invited to speak at the convention, concerning arson."

Women's work in fire prevention and fire fighting will be told by Miss Bala Cacer, inspector for the prevention against

fire prevention department at Austin, Texas. Fire fighters have ideals which they cannot forget nor forsake, and not the least of them is the impetus to fight so long as any chance exists to protect the public and the citizens from fire, the fire marshal asserted. It is more than paid for labor, he added, it is a labor of idealism, he said. T. F. Baker manager of the Arkansas Astorial bureau at Little Rock, Ark., will speak on the second day of the convention, on "The Ideals of a Fire Fighter."

Other men of national prominence will appear at the meeting.

NOTICE ELKS
Smoker Monday night, 8:30 p. m. 8-19-3td

Call 307 when you have a news item for the News.

SCOUT TROOP DETOURS NOISE TO SAVE LIFE

(By the Associated Press)

LINCOLN, Neb., Aug. 22.—A week's night and day patrolling in two hour shifts by twelve members of a local Boy Scout troop, cautioning and detouring traffic and passers-by in an effort to retain absolute silence surrounding a house in one of the city's busiest districts, resulted in saving the life of Mrs. M. E. Gardner.

Declared by her physician, Dr. J. M. Mayhew to be near the point of death, resultant from an attack of poisoning and nervous collapse, Mrs. Gardner was given but a few days to live unless removed to a seclusion of strict quiet. Removal was impossible as the noise from traffic through closed doors sent Mrs. Gardner into convulsions. An appeal was made by Dr. Mayhew to the mayor of Lincoln. The mayor referred him to the police department. Inquiry at the police department elicited the information it had no patrols to spare and could do nothing for him. The suggestion was made, however, that the Boy Scouts be considered.

The result was that Ray Bolat, scoutmaster of Troop 31, called his squad together and laid the appeal before them. They unanimously decided to aid. The troop was organized, one boy being stationed on either side of the house to stop all passers-by and warn them of the situation. The patrol was extended to the street and was maintained in shifts of two hours.

Not until Mrs. Gardner was on her way to apparent recovery was the patrol relieved.

"Perhaps the boys of Troop 31 would have preferred to do their good deed by carrying out children from a burning building," Scoutmaster Bolat says, "but it is seldom in our daily lives that a life is saved in such a melodramatic fashion."

A special recognition and medal is being urged from national headquarters of the Boy Scouts by several of Lincoln's prominent men.

News From Roff

(From the Eagle)
Mrs. T. B. Kile and her granddaughter, Francis Eleanor of Coalgate visited her son, A. E. Kile here last week. Mrs. Kile's little daughter, Vete Eugene, returned with them for a visit in Coalgate.

Prof. Holman, who had been employed as superintendent of schools here, and Prof. German who had been employed in that capacity at Wapanucka, have changed places and we will have Prof. German with us this term.

Miss Sibyl Roff has returned from Tulsa where she visited. Quite a number from Roff picniced at Byrds Mill Sunday among whom were the Hughes, Bullock, Bunyard, McKee, Cooper families, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Kile, Mr. and Mrs. Jayce Kuykendall, M. Merritt and family, Miss Chester Heathman, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Harbert of Ada and Mrs. Thompson of Ryan. A most enjoyable time is reported.

The shallow oil wells west of town are under pump and are making good showing so far.

The National Guard is making satisfactory progress. The boys are drilling three nights a week. Federal inspector is expected the latter part of week.

The Fitzhugh township fair will be held in Roff on Tuesday, September 6.

This issue concludes 21 continuous years of the publication of the Eagle.

B. A. Pratt was down from Ada on business Thursday.

Let a News Want Ad Get it.

MINISTER DISCUSSES HIS WIFE'S TROUBLE

Rev. A. H. Sykes, former pastor of the Watkins Park Presbyterian church, Nashville, Tenn., says:

"After seeing what Tanlac has accomplished in my wife's case, I am convinced that it is a medicine of great power and extraordinary merit. I do not think I have ever seen anything to give such prompt results. Mrs. Sykes had been in delicate health for ten months, suffering from stomach trouble and nervous breakdown.

"I frequently sought medical advice but Tanlac is the only thing that gave her any relief. After taking the medicine only a short time, she was able to sit up and help with the household duties. I think it only a short time until her health will be fully restored."

Tanlac is sold in Ada by M. A. Waits and by leading druggists everywhere.

NO WORK, NO EAT PONCA CHIEF'S POW-WOW RULE

(By the Associated Press.)

PONCA CITY, Aug. 22.—More than 1,000 Cheyennes, with 221 wagons and 150 teepees, are progressing toward the 101 ranch near here, to represent their tribe at the Indian congress starting here September 1. The Arapahoes, Comanches, Apaches, Sioux, Omahas, and Otoes also have promised delegations to this huge council.

The Ponca tribe, headed by Horse-Chief Eagle, is host. Every Indian who participates in the pow waw has been promised his beef rations free for five days, but he must participate, or no beef, Horse-Chief Eagle says.

A monster circle of tents will greet the eye when the encampment is completed. Each tribe, according to custom, places its teepee on the side nearest the direction from whence it came, the Cheyennes on the west, the Otoes on the South east, the Sioux on the north, and the other tribes in similar arrangement. This has been custom for centuries according to the tribe's traditions.

The visit to the Congress September 1, is the first visit of the Cheyennes to the Poncas since 1886, Horse-Chief Eagle says, when three thousand tribal members came in a body as the guests of Antoine Roy, French Ponca. Roy had visited them and given them many presents. When he left, they were urged to visit him. They did.

A few months later, they came 3,000 strong, and camped with Antoine Roy at the head of his reservation, near a clear stream. His herd of 100 fine cattle lasted only a few days, for as host he had to feed his guests. Herds of other prominent Poncas fell before the guests, and the Poncas never have raised cattle extensively since that visit, Horse-Chief Eagle says.

That's How

Browne: I never saw anyone quite so agile as Brooks. He's a regular contortionist.

Towne: Yes, he gets that way from patting himself on the back so much.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold Metallic Wrapper, and this fine Ribbon. Take one or other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS. See names known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

Special for Tuesday's Selling

\$2.00 CREPE GOWNS \$1.39

Crepe Gowns in pink ground with dainty blue bird and floral designs, made of excellent quality, full cut and well made; \$2.00 value.....**\$1.39**

75c UNDERWEAR CREPE 45c

Yard-wide and very sheer, soft quality Jap Underwear Crepe. Colors: blue, white and yellow. Regular price 75c special at.....**45c**

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Good, strong Corsallettes, made of Brocades and Batiste, and designed especially for sports, outdoor wear as well as indoor wear. The Corsetless age has not arrived and indeed, with Modart Corsallettes there is no demand.

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Stanfield's Grocery and Market Specials for Tuesday

20 Bars Fields Naptha soap---\$1.00
20 Bars White Laundry soap---\$1.00
24 Bars Field's White Marble soap-----\$1.00
20 Bars Joy Laundry soap---\$1.00
100 Bars Joy, Fields Naptha or Field's White Laundry---\$4.60

GALLON GOODS

No. 10 Pineapple-----90
No. 10 Peaches-----65
No. 10 Apples-----60
No. 10 Black Berries-----90
No. 10 Peach Preserves-----\$1.35
No. 10 Blackberry Preserves---\$1.35
No. 10 Raven Cane and Corn syrup-----85
No. 10 Home-made Sorghum--75
No. 10 Pure Comb Honey---\$2.25

COFFEE

3-lb. can Chase and Sanborns seal brand-----\$1.15
3-lb. can Chase and Sanborns cafe special-----\$1.00
5 pounds Pea Berry coffee-----\$1.00
1-lb. package Club House Russian style tea (best for ice tea) 75
1-lb. Bulk Mixed Tea-----35
All 20c packages Crackers and cakes, now-----15

EXTRA SPECIAL
80c grade best Chocolate Candies, per pound-----50
5-lb can Calumet Baking Powders-----\$1.00
5-lb. can K. C. Baking Powder 65

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES
Extra nice Fruits and Vegetables at the lowest possible price.

Regular size Sunkist lemons per dozen-----35
New Sweet Potatoes, per peck 60
Dairy Maid Creamery Butter pound-----40
12 Small Cans Hebe-----55
1-lb. jar Peanut Butter, each--25
3 cans Vienna style Sausage--25
Bulk Peanut butter, per pound 15
3 large squat cans Club House Pineapple-----\$1.00
15 large rolls Toilet Paper---\$1.00
1-lb. can Quince Jam-----25
2-lb. jar Strawberry Preserves 65
15-oz. jars Welch's Assorted Preserves-----40

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HERMIT FREES BIRDS AND IS CHANGED MAN

DUBUQUE, Ia., Aug. 20.—Bereft of his wild bird pets, F. H. Rhombert, Dubuque's nature loving hermit, is a changed man.

For more than a score of years he has surrounded himself in his home on rolling bottom land of the Mississippi river with song birds that learned to love their captivity. But as the years ran on the state law makers forbade caging song

birds, and recently the old man was arrested, fined, and the birds set free.

In one cage larger than the rest a brilliant Kentucky Cardinal lingered, when a recent visitor called. Its door was open.

"He will never go," said the old man wiping his brow with a bandana as he gazed upon the row of empty cages. "He is the one friend I have left, because the law tells me that I am abusing my friends the birds, for whom I have always labored and loved."

"There you see," and going to the window that overlooks an orchard, meadow and strip of rolling hills, he pointed to a host of bird houses and natural bathing pools.

"If that is abusing the things I love," he said, "then I am guilty." Squirrels, rabbits with young, cats that refuse to bother the birds, and two great mastiffs, held in leash by heavy log chains, completed the life of the little farm home.

The birds were his dearest possession. Hundreds more of them built in the vicinity of his home. Fearful of the law yet with a desire to aid the creatures he has ministered to so long, the old man still prepares food for the songsters and watches them lovingly as they fly to him for the delicacies he always has.

He does not fondle or caress them now. He is afraid of the law.

City Briefs

Get it at Gwin & Mays.

Have your Photo made at West's.

Sadler Grocery, Phone 901. 1m

Shelton sells Furniture on easy payments. 1-21-1f

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Mrs. D. T. Newsome is reported to be ill at her home today.

It's cash, but cheaper at Wait's Drug store. 3-31-1f

J. T. McDonald of Francis was a business visitor in Ada Saturday.

Kit Carson guarantees to fix your battery troubles. Phone 124. 122 West 12th St. 8-7-23td

Plainview Dairy, Phone RM-25. A. B. Myers, Proprietor. 8-5-1f

Miss Gladys Hepperman of Stratford was a shopper in the city yesterday.

Russell Battery Co. Willard Service and sales. Phone 140. 8-6-1m

R. C. Franklin of Muskogee, was in the city over the week-end looking after business matters.

Knott's Very Best Bread delivered fresh daily 8c or 2 for 15c. 8-22-1td.

Dr. Keith, Dentist, open nights 7 to 9. Phone 1, Kollow Building. 6-1-1mo.

W. H. Steed returned from Wetumka yesterday where he spent a few days on business.

McCarty Bros. can fix that old tire or tube. Phone 855. 2-24-1mo

C. P. Penrose, of the Ada Music Company, is reported to be improving today.

We make a specialty of silk shirts. Work done by hand. Ada Steam Laundry. 7-13-1 mo.

8c or 2 for 15c. Knott's Very Best Bread delivered daily. 8-22-1td.

Let a News Want Ad Get it. Want to buy a home? Turn to the want ads.

Mrs. Sadie Rutledge of Holdenville was in the city today on business.

Plainview Dairy, Phone RM-25. A. B. Myers, Proprietor. 8-5-1f

Phone 578 for delivery of Knott's Very Best Bread and pastry. 8-22-1td.

Good opening for a lady desiring to make money. Only small investment required. Call at Bon Marche, 120 South Broadway. 8-16-6td*

Another car of chickens was shipped out this week by the Ada Hide and Produce company. It will be sent to northern and eastern markets.

Ready cash for farm and ranch loans. A. L. BOWLES & CO., ground floor Guaranty Bank building, Ada, Okla., phone 878-868. 8-20-1f

S. L. Abney and wife and young son, L. D. Jr., of Oklahoma City, spent the week-end in Ada the guests of relatives.

Re-charging and three day battery rental \$2.00. Phone 124. Kit Carson Battery and Ignition Station 122 West 12th St. 8-7-23td

Phone 40, the Unique Cleaning and Tailoring company. Particular pressers for particular people. 105 North Broadway. 8-13-1 mo.

A new \$3000 residence is under construction for W. F. Mitchell and will be located on lot 13, block 57, of the original plat.

Yes hemstitching, 10 cents per yard. Ada Hemstitching Shop. 7-13-1 mo.

We have farm lands for city property. A. L. BOWLES & CO., ground floor Guaranty Bank building, Ada, Okla., phone 878-868. 8-20-1f.

Ask your gracer for True Blue Bluing. Why take the cheap kind? Look for EAGLE on bottle. Ada Chemical Co., Ada, Okla. 8-22-2td*

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Young and Miss Margaret McLachlin were in Okmulgee yesterday where Paul took part in the game between Chickasha and Okmulgee. Young remained in Okmulgee where he will play for two weeks.

Rev. and Mrs. M. A. Cassidy and daughter, La Ruth, returned Saturday from a trip of three weeks in their car to Colorado where they visited Cleveland Hall and wife and toured the state. Mr. Cassidy stated that the people told him the tourists were considerably reduced in number this year, but he was at a loss to know where many more of them could have been handled. One Sunday evening a special invitation was extended to Oklahomans, Texans, Missourians and Kansans to attend the church services. He found 45 Oklahomans present.

WORKING ROAD NEAR BYRD'S MILL SPRING

Commissioner Brents was in the city Monday on matters pertaining to the road improvement being made below Byrd's Mill. He has a force of ten men on the bad stretch near the spring which has given so much trouble in times past and stated that he expects to make this as good as any piece of dirt road in the county.

Children Bitten by Mad-Dog on Streets of Allen Is Report

ALLEN, Aug. 22.—(Special).—War has been declared on all canines in Allen, due to a scare caused by a stray dog running amuck the last of the week and biting a number of children and older people before it was finally killed.

The dog, an attractive little beaggar, was picked up by Will McElroy, who with his family was returning from the direction of Steedman. Shortly after the dog was picked up by Mr. McElroy it attacked and bit one of the children, later biting another.

The McElroy and other children bitten were taken to a madstone near Stonewall Tuesday, where it was said the stones were adhering to their wounds, and several others have signified their intention of trying either that or the Pasteur treatment.

The head of the dog was sent to the bacteriologist at the University hospital at Oklahoma City, where it was examined and was said to contain evidence of rabies.

Work of thinning out the dog population is still going on, and there will be considerably fewer dogs when the armistice is declared.

Allen News.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams and daughter, Miss Vivian, left Sunday for their home at El Dorado, Okla., at the Methodist church last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams' daughter, Mrs. J. O. Springer.

Jake Story, Mrs. W. E. Mead, Mrs. Lela Long and Miss Jennie Richardson motored to Wewoka Sunday, returning Sunday.

Story, who had been visiting at that place, accompanied them home.

Dr. E. H. Lyle of Durant, president of the Oklahoma Presbyterian College for Girls, filled the pulpit at the Methodist church last Sunday morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Johnson and children left Sunday for Okmulgee where they visited Mr. and Mrs. R. McFann for a few days, going from there to Oklahoma City where Mrs. Johnson will complete a course in expression, remaining there for several weeks.

Allen and Francis played a good game of ball at Francis Sunday afternoon, Allen winning by a score of 6 to 1. A feature of the game was the hitting of Roscoe Henley of Allen, he batting in four runs. A number of fans from Allen witnessed the game.

The Ada Weekly News is gradually becoming a real farmers' news paper, edited by Byron Norrell. It not only has a wide circulation, but an advertisement in it carries also the prestige of its reputation for truth and right dealings.

Tide!

Browne: Faith will move mountains.

Towne: That's why I prefer a vacation at the seashore. It's there when you want it!

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IN SOCIETY

Miss Steed to Return Soon.
Miss Leone Steed, who has spent the summer in New York City studying piano with Mr. Frank La Forge, and taking a course in piano and English at the Columbia University, is expected to arrive here the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Cunningham of Ashland were here over the week-end visiting Gus Cunningham and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hays have returned from an extended trip through several northern states in their car. They visited in several cities on their route overland.

Mrs. I. E. Riddle and sister, Miss Elizabeth Webb, returned Sunday from a two week's vacation trip to Colorado Springs and other points in Colorado.

John Agnew left yesterday afternoon for Sulphur where he will spend a week on his vacation.

Mrs. Minnie Taylor of Woodville, Okla., who has been here visiting her brother, Bob Stiff, and other relatives, left yesterday for her home.

Mrs. J. B. Edwards and daughter, Margaret, and son, Aubrey, arrived in the city yesterday from Ft. Worth Texas, for a visit at the home of Mrs. E. L. Hawkins. They were accompanied home by Miss Ludie Hawkins, who has been visiting in Fort Worth for the past week. The trip to Ada was made overland.

Miss Grace Everetts of Holdenville spent the week-end in Ada visiting relatives.

"WHAT EVERY WOMAN KNOWS" SHOWS AT MCGWAIN TODAY

Woman's story written by one of the greatest living playwrights and made famous on the stage by one of the most notable living actresses is coming to McGwain today and we thought you would be interested in hearing about it. It is none other than the William DeMille Production for Paramount of Sir James M. Barrie's play, "What Every Woman Knows," in which Maude Adams secured a triumphal success.

Stammering Can Be Cured
Professor J. W. Shepherd will take a limited number of stammerers into his home for treatment and cure. For information write Professor J. W. Shepherd, University of Oklahoma, Norman, Okla. 8-17-1 mo.

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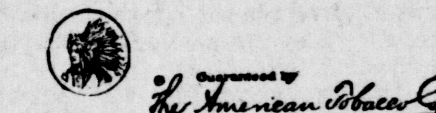
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TAXES CUT TODAY ON FARM PRODUCE BY AGGIE BOARD

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—A federal tax reduction on agricultural products made today was the result of hearings before the congressional commission on agriculture, it is said.

F. Samuel Wannamaker of South Carolina, president of the American Cotton Association, asserted that the deflation in currency and prices had been terribly destructive to all agricultural districts and that it was brought about deliberately by the federal leaders.

"I heard that plans were being made for the deflation in prices," Mr. Wannamaker said, "and did all I could to stop it. It is the result of propaganda sent out to discourage the public and to spread the opinion that prices were to go lower."

"KISMET" TO APPEAR AT AMERICAN TUESDAY

"Kismet," that colorful masterpiece of the stage in which Otis Skinner, America's foremost character actor, achieved the greatest success of his celebrated career, has been transferred to the screen with Mr. Skinner playing the stellar role. Directed by Louis J. Gasnier, admittedly a wizard at his trade, and produced by Robertson-Cole, the picture has been hailed as "The Miracle of the Movies." It will be seen at the American theatre for a run of two days, beginning tomorrow.

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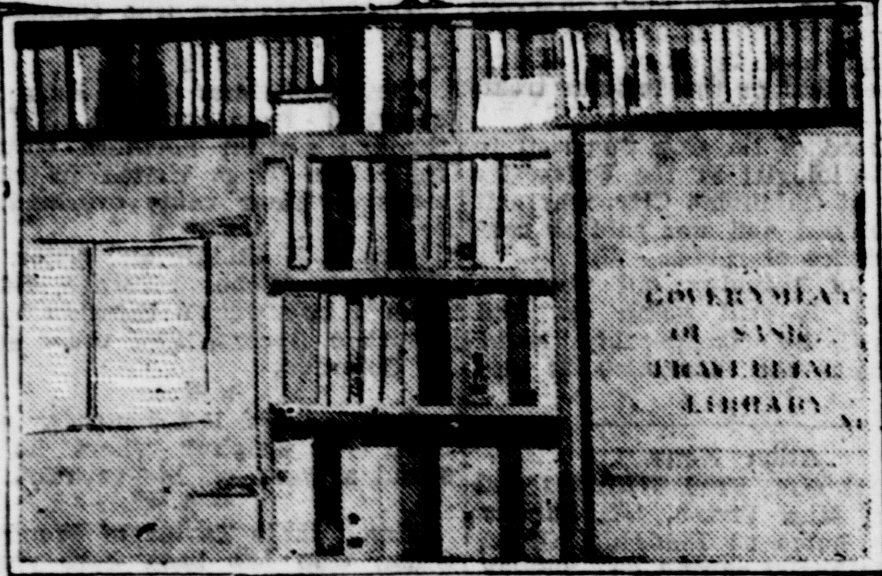
TRAVELING LIBRARIES BRING SETTLERS WISDOM AND FICTION



PRINCE ALBERT, SASK.—Traveling libraries instituted by governments of the prairie provinces, have placed books within the reach of every settler in Western Canada.

The traveling libraries actually bring the boon of educational advantages to farms and isolated communities. They are sent for a period of nine months to women's institutes, agricultural societies, community clubs and other responsible organizations. Seventy-five per cent of the readers, it has been found, are women and the books most in demand are fiction. But also in demand are books of history, biography and travel referring to Canada and the United States as well as works on the industrial and economic development of the two countries. The libraries usually contain fifty books, including fiction and works on science, biography, travel and history.

The demand for the libraries is growing. The new country along the transcontinental lines of the Canadian National Railways—a



wonderfully fertile well watered park country of diversified farming into which settlers are swarming to take advantage of the cheap land prices that will not last always, is enjoying, as only a pioneer region can, the literary interests afforded by these traveling collections of

STATE CROP NOW STANDS HIGHEST

Composite Condition of the Farm Products Leads in Oklahoma.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Aug. 22.—General showers fell during the first half of the week just closing and were of benefit to all crops. However, the rainfall was too light in the extreme southwestern counties where it was most needed and crops in this section have shown a greater deterioration than in any other parts of the state. The heaviest rainfall of the week was reported from McAlester and Alva. The last half of the week has been clear with higher temperatures.

Oklahoma ranked first in the United States on August 1, in the composite condition of all crops with 115.1 percent. This figure was 22.1 percent above the average for the United States and an increase of 12 points over the July 1 figure for the state. Oklahoma also showed a greater percentage of increase during July in the combined condition of all crops than any other state.

Corn was benefited in all sections by timely rainfall, except in the southwestern counties. In this section it has been cut short materially by the continued drought since the early part of July. The eastern, southeastern, southern and central counties report prospects for corn well above the average for this time of the year.

Heavy boll weevil damage to cotton continues in the eastern, southeastern and southern counties. The extreme southern counties have suffered the heaviest damage. In this section many fields are reported as total failures and others forecast yields of between 10 and 15 percent of a normal crop. In the south-

western counties the crop has suffered from the continued dry weather and will no doubt be cut considerably on this account. The extreme western, and the counties in the northern part of the cotton producing regions of the state, continue to show the best condition figures.

Broom Corn Harvest Over
With the exception of scattered crops at various points and a small acreage of late corn principally in the Marlow section, the harvesting of broom corn in the Lindsay district is practically over. So far the weather conditions have been favorable and the offerings promise to be comparatively free from rain stains. Much of the crop is ready for market and the question of price appears to be the only thing restricting a heavy movement. The bulk of the sales in this district have brought between \$75.00 and \$90.00 per ton. It is reported that there are comparatively no broom corn buyers in the Lindsay district.

The northwestern counties report excellent advancement made in their plowing for wheat. The northeastern and central counties have also made good progress with their timely rains in these parts have put the ground in good condition for this work. Plowing has been delayed in the extreme north-central counties as rainfall is needed in these localities in order to get the fields in shape.

PAVING TAXES DUE
Paving taxes in districts 3, 4 and 5 are now due and payable at this office. These districts include East Main street, alleys in blocks 91, 92, 97 and 98 and Johnson avenue. If not paid before September 15th the law provides that delinquents must be certified to the County Treasurer and penalty added.

W. B. JONES
Commissioner Accounting and Finance.
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MOTOR BUS RELIEVES TIEUP IN RAILROADS

(By the Associated Press.)
HARRISON, Ark., Aug. 22.—Residents along the line of the Missouri and North Arkansas railroad, left without rail facilities when the road was forced to suspend operations on July 31, due to financial difficulties, rapidly are proving that necessity not only is the mother of invention, but that when the need arises all available inventions are utilized.

In this case it is motor transportation. Several hundred thousand persons were affected by the shut-down of the railroad, and it has been estimated that 100,000 persons between the terminals of the line, Joplin, Mo., and Helena, Ark., a distance of more than 350 miles, have been directly or indirectly thrown out of employment.

Already regular bus and truck lines between the towns along the abandoned road and the nearest point on some other road have been established.

Between the Arkansas state line and Joplin several roads cross or parallel the Missouri and North Arkansas railroad, and the situation is not so serious as in North-west Arkansas. The same situation obtains between Searcy and Helena, Ark. Between the Missouri line and Searcy, though, there are five counties have been forced to establish motor truck and bus lines to some railroad point outside, and in the more impassable sections to resort to the caravans of covered freight wagons, a familiar sight twenty years ago, but until recently almost forgotten.

Eureka Springs, near the Missouri county line, is connected with Seligman, Mo., by a good highway. Eureka Springs in turn serves other towns south of it. Harrison, headquarters of the road, has a good road to Bergman, ten miles distant on the Missouri Pacific railroad. Southeast of Harrison, however, the roads are bad and the necessary supplies are being freighted over the winding rocky roads of the Ozark mountains.

Obituary.
Miss Alma Parker, daughter of Mrs. Annie Parker, died at the family home, 120 West 8th street, Sunday morning. Funeral services were held today by the Rev. Mrs. Smith. Interment took place in Rosedale cemetery at 11 a. m.

You will save money by reading the ads.

Let a News Want Ad Get it.

Race Suicide Higher Among College Grads Opinion of Experts

(By the Associated Press.)
BOSTON, Mass., Aug. 22.—Is race suicide increasing among college graduates?

Maurice Rieker of the United States Public Health Service says that it is, and quotes statistics. Some college presidents are inclined to doubt the conclusions drawn by the Health Service official and think his figures give a wrong impression. Others say that from lack of statistics of their own, they are not prepared to discuss the subject. They admit that Mr. Rieker's figures are startling and that they present a disquieting view of the future.

Addressing the recent convention of the National Educational Association in Des Moines, Ia., Mr. Rieker was quoted as follows: "Investigation by the federal public health service over a period of years indicates that the progeny of one thousand graduates from such institutions as Harvard, Yale, Princeton, Vassar and Smith will not exceed fifty in one hundred years from now." He proceeded to compare the results of a similar canvass among illiterate foreigners and said it indicated in a like period the original thousand would be multiplied at least a hundred times.

Frederick L. Allen, secretary of the Harvard University Corporation produced some figures of his own from the Harvard records. He said:

Harvard Figures Shown
"Mr. Rieker's assertion would seem at first reading to give the impression that college students have on the average less than one child apiece. This is not so among Harvard graduates at any rate. Among the classes 1881-90 at Harvard, the last ten classes whose statistics are available and may be considered fairly complete. The average number of men per class was 248, of whom 183 married and had 372 children, an average of 2.06 children per married graduate, or 1.55 children per capita for the whole class. The Yale figures for the same period are similar. The birthrate among Harvard graduates declined during the past half century. The decline however, was less sharp in the class between 1870 and 1890 than it had been previously; and a situation which is disquieting at best seems thus to be showing a gradual tendency to right itself."

No figures on the subject are available from Wellesley college but President Ellen S. Pendleton gives it as her impression that as far as the alumnae of Wellesley are concerned, the number of marriages and the number of children

per marriage have increased rather than decreased as the years have gone by. "Some twenty or more years ago," said Miss Pendleton, "The Association of Collegiate Alumnae gathered quite elaborate statistics comparing the health, number of marriages and number of children per marriage of college women with similar statistics of age. These statistics showed that there was very slight differences between the two classes, but such difference as there was in favor of the college bred women, and as I have said while we have no recent figures my impression is that there are more marriages and more children per marriage in these later years."

Marry Later in Life.
"No one denies that college women marry later in life than non-college women and consequently any statistics that are made up on the basis of women not more than five years out of college would give an entirely wrong impression. I suspect that the same thing would be true of college men."

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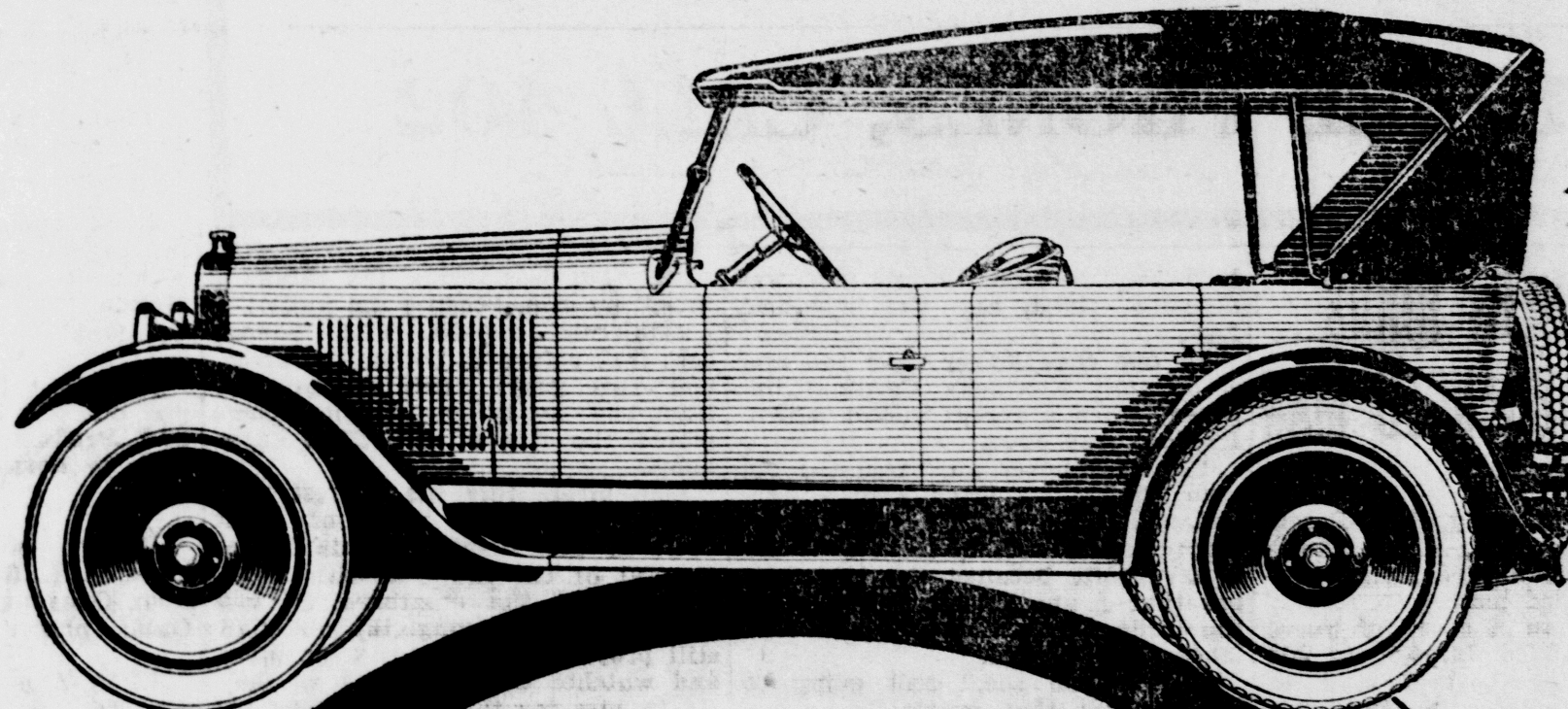
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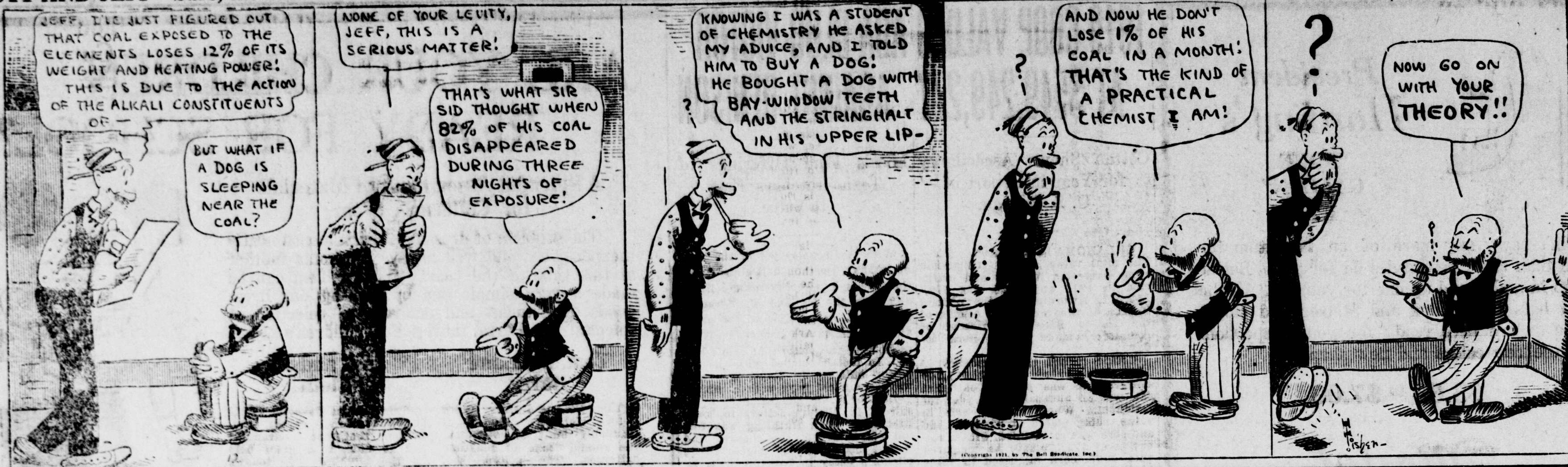


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FOR RENT—Five room house on East Ninth street; phone Harvey Luther, 295. 8-19-31d*

FOR RENT—Modern apartment. 217 E. 15th street, telephone 691-R. Malcolm A. Smith. 8-22-61*

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping; 231 East 14th St. 8-19-31*

FOR RENT—Large, cool southeast room with board, block and half from Harris Hotel—Mrs. W. M. Prewette, 216 East 12th; phone 217. 7-21-1mo*

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FOR RENT—Front bed room private entrance, connecting bath, close in, also garage. Mrs. A. M. Bailey, 216 South Rennie. 8-22-21*

FOR RENT—New 6-room bungalow never been occupied, located on South Ohlson; 4-room on West 2nd street. Carpenter & Lawyer, phone 1075. 8-22-21d*

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FOR SALE—One Jersey cow and 3 months old calf. 322 N. Ash. 8-22-1d*

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FOR SALE—Two beautiful lots on East Thirteenth street, small cash payment, balance easy terms. Carpenter & Lawyer, phone 1075. 8-22-21d*

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MISCELLANEOUS

STOLEN—Bay mare, weight 1,000, 11 years old; brand Circle S on left shoulder; scar on right hip; fresh wire cut on left thigh. \$15 reward for return or information. Phone Y-52. A. M. Scott. 8-22-61d*

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WANTED—Plain and fancy sewing; 804 West 9th St. 8-19-31d*

WANTED—To furnish estimates on street graveling, curbing and guttering. J. C. Rogers, phone 468. 8-22-21*

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LOST—One small black ledger containing accounts, return and receive reward. W. E. Heady. 8-22-1d*

SHE LOOKED FOR NEW "GRUNT" IN THE MUSIC LINE

It happened in a local music store Monday.

Two attractive young ladies stepped into the store and cast a half-timid glance at each other as they waited at the counter for the young man clerk to take their order.

"Have you (pause) 'uh-huh?' one asked in a hesitating manner. For a moment the clerk stood dumbfounded.

"Uh-huh?"

"The confusion was deepening. Suddenly he caught their meaning. 'Oh, I see. You want music, don't you?'"

"Uh-huh," she answered, not the least ruffled.

For several minutes he searched diligently through stacks of sheet music, both of the girls doing their best to help him find it. Then he retired to the rear of the store where more music was filed away and looked through the sheet stock.

"Miss," said he, returning, "where the girls waited, 'I'm sorry but it seems that 'Uh-huh' is 'Huh-huh' today," he said, shaking his head.

"Well, I thank you just the same," and they turned to go out. "Nothing else for you today?"

"Huh-huh," she answered.

R. W. SIMPSON IMPRESSED WITH SIZE OF COUNTRY

"The immensity of the United States was deeply impressed on me by our five weeks trip through the Northwest," said R. W. Simpson. "Traveling on a train one does not pay so much attention to distance, but five weeks in an auto gives one an opportunity to observe more closely."

Mr. Simpson and family went through Kansas and he states that that state is looking fine now. Throughout Colorado and Wyoming tourists were everywhere, some camping and others putting up at hotels. The citizens are all boosters and even small towns are strictly up to date in every particular ready to grasp every opportunity. Thriving on tourist trade, they endeavor to make every visitor feel at home and want to come back next season. Rates are reasonable and roads good.

Simpson says the Chamber of Commerce of Colorado Springs is the greatest organization of its kind he has ever seen. A dozen or more people are employed. If a tourist wants information on a route to California, or elsewhere, they look it up for him, no matter how much times it takes, and invite him to come back when he wants anything else.

The party spent four days in the National Park and report the climate of Wyoming agreed with them.

ENGLAND SENDS NOTE OF FORMAL ACCEPTANCE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—Formal word from the British government stating that the invitation to the Washington conference on the limitations of armament had been accepted was received today by Secretary Hughes.

STIMULUS IS SEEN FOR AGRICULTURE EXPORTING

(By the Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—With the passing of a number of the Senate bills which would make aid from financial corporations possible, the exportation of agricultural products will be stimulated, according to arguments made in the house today.

\$555,000 TURNED IN ON INSURANCE

State's Coffers Enriched by Immense Sum During Last Year.

(By the Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, Aug. 20.—Oklahoma's treasury is richer by \$555,000 this year, because of the activities of the state insurance department according to the annual report of E. W. Hardin, state insurance commissioner, made public today. The report is now in the hands of the printer.

The department since statehood, the report shows, had netted \$5,581,068, while the receipts for 1920 were \$575,960.63. The expenditures for 1920 for were \$20,099.39.

"We're proud of our department, as I guess, every other state official is proud of his department," Mr. Hardin said. "Did you ever hear of a business which was paying large profits, and running on about 3.5 percent of its earnings?"

The insurance department, according to the commissioner, is running on about 3.5 percent of its earnings, and has averaged an expense of department, less than 5.5 percent since statehood.

Mr. Hardin stated that decreases in business written by certain forms of insurance shown in 1920, directly neglected the economic conditions. The reflection should be the reverse than that shown, to advertise proper business control, however, he said.

"It is the desire of the office to explain why buying insurance in poor economic times, in times of slow credit, is good business," he said. "The more fire insurance, or any sort of insurance any merchant has, the easier it is for him to gain an extension of credit. The tighter the credit times, the more insurance I should invest in," he said.

Hail Insurance High

The total crop hail insurance written by all companies in Oklahoma, was \$16,172,452 according to the report. The premiums paid were \$1,194,576.60, and the losses incurred were \$623,592.18. This loss was greater by 28 percent than in 1919.

"Natural laws govern this form of insurance more than any other. Many fires are of course started by outside influences, but nature alone is responsible for a hail year. This year, the business written probably will be larger than last, as after a heavy hail year, farmers are more apt to purchase protection in the form of insurance," the commissioner explained.

The total business written for fire and marine insurance in 1920 was \$740,523,688, and the total premiums paid, \$14,546,644, according to the report. The losses of \$6,803,900.63 shows an incurred loss ratio of 46.5 percent according to Hardin. For fire alone, his report shows an incurred loss ratio of 45.5 percent, and for marine insurance, 50.7 percent.

The total reciprocal insurance written was \$1,561,512, with a loss of \$854,285. The loss ratio was set at 54.7 percent in mutual insurance the loss ratio was 42 percent and the losses in money were \$282,335. Total premiums were \$667,616.

Fraternal insurance reflected the influenza epidemic as much as any other form of life insurance, Hardin said. The total fraternal insurance written in 1920 was \$30,169,272 and the premiums paid were \$2,643,167. Claims paid amounted to \$1,715,289. Half of the premiums paid in 1919, during the epidemic of influenza, \$16,656,167 more fraternal insurance was written than the preceding year.

"People are in a hurry to cover up, to lock the door after the horse is gone," the commissioner said. "However, it often happens that there are a good many horses left in the barn to protect, so that's all right."

That "all in" feeling so common in hot weather is not due to heat alone, but to an unhealthy condition in the liver, stomach and bowels. To prevent a spell of sickness take Prickly Ash Bitters. Men find it excellent as a system cleanser and regulator. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Sold by Gwin & Mays. (adv)

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IN SPORT CIRCLES

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

Western League	W	L	Pct.
Wichita	74	50	.597
Omaha	74	53	.583
Oklahoma City	68	56	.553
St. Joseph	53	52	.504
Joplin	60	62	.492
St. Louis	58	63	.479
Des Moines	56	68	.451
Tulsa	44	83	.344

National League	W	L	Pct.
Pittsburgh	75	40	.652
New York	70	48	.594
Boston	64	56	.532
Brooklyn	62	55	.525
St. Louis	57	55	.509
Cincinnati	52	65	.444
Chicago	47	68	.409
Philadelphia	35	79	.306

American League	W	L	Pct.
Cleveland	72	43	.627
New York	68	44	.607
Washington	64	54	.549
St. Louis	58	58	.500
Boston	53	62	.461
Detroit	55	64	.461
Chicago	49	66	.426
Philadelphia	42	72	.368

RESULTS YESTERDAY

Western League
Oklahoma City 1-9; Des Moines 2-5.
St. Joseph 10; Wichita 9.

National League
New York 7; St. Louis 4.
Brooklyn 9; Cincinnati 4.
No other games scheduled.

American League
St. Louis 5-10; New York 4-0.
Cleveland 4; Boston 0.
Detroit 5; Philadelphia 0.
Washington 3; Chicago 0.

GAMES TODAY
Western League
Tulsa at St. Joseph.
Wichita at Omaha.
Only three games scheduled.

National League
St. Louis at New York.
Cincinnati at Brooklyn.
Pittsburgh at Boston.
Chicago at Philadelphia.

American League
New York at St. Louis.
Boston at Cleveland.
Washington at Chicago.
Philadelphia at Detroit.

American Oil Men to Confer With Mexico on Industry Status

(By the Associated Press) MEXICO CITY, Aug. 22.—The newspaper, El Universal, announced today that it was in receipt of word from members of the Empire Oil company in the United States, who will leave New York soon for Mexico City for a conference with government officials here. Interested parties here are looking forward to the conference with the opinion that definite steps will be decided on by which the condition of the oil industry in Mexico may be improved.

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FUNERAL SUNDAY FOR STRATFORD WAR VETERAN

A military funeral will be given John M. Perkins, of Stratford, formerly private in Company "I", 142nd Infantry, whose body is expected to reach home this week. The funeral will be held at Stratford Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and will be under the auspices of Stratford Post No. 205, American Legion.

Notice of the funeral was received in Ada today from C. F. Forrester, post commander. Former service men from all parts of the county have been invited to be in Stratford Sunday afternoon and assist with the funeral.

NEGRO PLEADS GUILTY ON ASSAULT CHARGE

John Ransom, negro, charged with assault with a dangerous weapon, entered a plea of guilty Monday morning before Justice of the Peace H. J. Brown and paid a fine and cost amounting to \$16. Upon permission of County Attorney Wayne Wadlington, the charge was changed to assault.

Ransom who is a truck driver, is alleged to have engaged in a dispute with a white man near Ada on August 1, over giving the charge. In the trouble, Ransom is charged with leaving his truck, with an open knife in his hand, and chased the white man from his wagon.

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A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting of Ada Lodge No. 119, Monday night on or before the full moon in each month—John Thrasher, W. M.; F. C. Sims, secretary.

R. A. M.—Ada Chapter No. 26 Royal Arch Masons, meets the second Tuesday night in each month.—A. Stauffer, H. P.; F. C. Sims, secretary.

K. T. M.—Ada Commandry No. 16 Knights Templar Masons meets the third Friday night of each month.—M. F. Manville, E. C.; F. C. Sims, secretary.

B. P. O. E.—Ada Lodge No. 1275 meets second and fourth Monday nights in each month.—H. Claude Pitt, secretary.

MODERN WOODMEN—Lodge 10954 meets second and fourth Saturday nights of each month, at I. O. O. F. Hall.—J. E. Russell, clerk.

I. O. O. F. Encampment No. 17 meets every Tuesday night. A. B. Auld, C. P.; H. C. Evans, Scribe.

I. O. O. F.—Ada Lodge No. 146, regular meeting every Thursday.—R. W. White, N. G.; H. C. Evans, Sec'y.

ADA COUNCIL No. 625 U. C. T.—Meets first Saturday night each month at I. O. O. F. hall.—W. H. Holmes, Sec.-Treas.

A. O. U. W.—Lodge No. 40 meets first and third Tuesday nights of each month.—J. B. Emory, Secretary.

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OLD TIMER DECLARES BABE RUTH GREATEST

(By the Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Amos Rusie, an idol of baseball fans more than 20 years ago, sat on the sidelines at the Polo Grounds during a recent game between the Yankees and White Sox, marveling in Babe Ruth, whom he declared to be the greatest figure in baseball.

"It's been 19 years since I saw a major league game," Rusie remarked. "The game surely has taken long strides. Back in my day we had some heavy hitters, but none of them could hold a candle to Ruth. I refer to Wagner, Jajoie and Ed Delehanly."

Back in the nineties, when Rusie appeared at the Polo Grounds, the cheers and the shouting were all for him. The Hoosier Cyclone, they called him for he was considered the greatest right handed hurler in the game. He dropped from the game in 1902 after trying vainly for two years to overcome the handicap of an injured arm.

When Rusie left the game he returned to his home in Muncie, Indiana, and later went to Seattle, Wash., where he worked as a laborer. He is past the 50 mark in years and his hair is gray. He sat unnoticed by players and fans alike, for he was unknown to them.

He is recognized
Then Kid Gleason, the old manager of the White Sox recognized him. They were rivals for pitching honors in the old days. "I'm sure glad to see you Amos," smiled Gleason, "seems like old times to see you around." The famous old twirler returned the greeting and they walked to the White Sox dug out arm in arm.

Although Rusie has not witnessed a major league game for so many years he said he had kept up with the game through the newspapers. Rusie said he didn't approve of putting a curb on the styles of pitching. "Give them a chance to develop. In my time we were not permitted to soil the ball and there were no freak deliveries. We had to depend on speed and fast breaking curves and we had a great advantage over the batters. The batter of today has the edge, however, the livelier ball and curbing of pitchers are the reasons. This can be carried too far."

The crowds are greater today than at any time. Baseball is now a great national institution. The White Sox scandal has not hurt the game much. Judge Landis has offset that black eye."

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Stories of Great Scouts

By Elmo Scott Watson

FORSYTH'S SCOUTS, THE ORIGINAL "ROUGH RIDERS"

This is the story of 51 scouts, instead of just one, for together they won undying fame in one of the fiercest battles ever fought with the Indians on the frontier. They were Forsyth's Scouts, the "Rough Riders of 1888." Gen. George A. Forsyth was their leader—"Sandy" Forsyth, he had been called in Civil war days.

The scouts left Fort Wallace, Kan., in pursuit of a band of Dog Soldier Cheyennes who had been raiding in western Kansas. Early one September morning while they were camped on the Arickaree river in eastern Colorado the Indians appeared and tried to stampede their horses. As the scouts prepared to mount and give battle, Sharpe Grover, their guide, touched Forsyth on the arm. "Oh, heavens, general!" he cried, "look at the Indians!"

In the next instant the surrounding hills and valleys were alive with savages, who charged down upon the scouts, but were driven off by a few volleys. Surrounded and hopelessly outnumbered, there was but one thing for Forsyth to do. In the center of the stream was a little island on which grew a few small trees. "Make for the island, men!" shouted Forsyth. "It's our only chance."

They reached the island just in time. While Indian riflemen along the banks of the stream poured in a hot fire, a picked body of 500 warriors led by the Cheyenne chief, Roman Nose, charged down upon them, intending to ride over Forsyth's band in one red wave of destruction. The Indians were beaten back, they settled down to besiege the scouts.

Twenty-three of the 51 scouts had been killed or wounded when evening came. Forsyth was suffering from three wounds and Lieut. Fred Beecher, the second in command, had been killed, as had the only surgeon in the command.

For nine days, in spite of hunger and wounds, the little band of scouts beat off the Cheyennes, until two of the scouts managed to slip through the Indian lines at night and guide a force of cavalry to their rescue. Once Forsyth gave the unmounted scouts a chance to try to escape, leaving him and the other wounded to their fate, but they refused. "We've fought together, and we'll die together, if we must!" was their heroic answer.

The island was named Beecher's Island, in honor of their lieutenant, and today a monument stands on it to mark forever the place where Forsyth's Scouts fought so bravely.

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1919 CROP VALUED AT \$549,249,277

Cotton Shows Ascendancy for Year in Report of U. S. Bureau.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Aug. 22.—The total value of all Oklahoma crops harvested in 1919 and marketed in 1919 and 1920 was \$549,249,277, according to the official figures of the fourteenth census of the United States department of commerce, made public here today.

Cotton gained the ascendancy in 1919, being valued at \$163,011,204 however, it was pointed out that this was an unusual cotton year for Oklahoma. Wheat ranked next in value, being placed at \$140,730,350 and corn was rated third, with a valuation of \$72,730,350. As compared with 1909, corn increased in value 51.2 on total valuations, although the acreage was decreased 58.2 percent.

Other crop values for 1919 were: Oats \$36,376, barley \$2,048,119, kafir and milo \$23,271,427, hay and forage \$50,972,700, potatoes, \$4,040,810, broom corn \$4,175,981, apples \$2,475,306, and peaches \$4,533,512.

Farmers not only have received more money for their crops in 1919, although living costs have gone up proportionately, but they raised more of their crop per acre. "The state is better equipped mentally to handle these crops than it was ten years ago," John A. Whitehurst, president of the state board of agriculture said, "and that statement is borne out by the federal census figures."

As compared with 1909, the census figures show an increase of 317.6 percent, in the total value of all crops. Wheat increased in value 915.8 percent; in acreage, 302.1 percent, and 2 bushels per acre in yield.

Oats increased 407.2 percent in value, and in acreage from 609,373 acres in 1909, to 1,573,055 in 1919, in production, from 27.3 bushels to 28.9 bushels.

Kafir and milo increased 819.4 percent in value and nearly doubled in acreage, there being 1,152,000 acres harvested in 1919. Cotton increased in value 360.5 percent nearly doubles in acreage and nearly doubles in production, raising 555,742 bales in 1909, as compared with 1,006,242 in 1920.

Broom Corn Value Up.
Broom corn increased 63.2 percent in value, but decreased considerably in acreage, going from 216,350 acres in 1909 to 199,665 in 1919. Notwithstanding this acreage decrease, the poundage in 1919 was larger than that of a decade before, being 59,656,794, as compared with 42,741,725 pounds in 1909.

Apple and peach trees decreased in Oklahoma during the decade, there being a little less than half the number of peach trees and less than half the number of apple trees in 1919, as compared with 1909. Here again the condition of crops is reversed, however 1,596,975 bushels of apples were raised from 1,417,911 trees in 1919, while only 742,182 bushels of apples were harvested from 2,955,310 trees in 1909.

Two million, nine hundred twenty-four thousand, eight hundred forty-two bushels of peaches were harvested from 2,879,945 trees in 1919 compared with 357,644 bushels from 4,783,825 trees in 1909.

Oklahoma's pecan industry was booming in 1919, 400,480 trees being cultivated, compared with 96,766 trees in 1909. Four million, two hundred ninety-six thousand, six hundred forty-two pounds were harvested in 1919, compared with 894,172 pounds in 1909.

There were 25,633 acres of potatoes in 1919, a decrease of 20.6 percent from 1909, when there were 32,295 acres. The average yield per acre in 1919 was 75.1 bushels, however while in 1909 it was 58.8 bushels, making the 1919 crop 1,924,194 bushels, compared with 1,897,486 bushels in 1909.

J. J. SIMPSON SHOWING LATE CROP CUCUMBERS

J. J. Simpson, who lives northeast of Ada three miles, at old Hurd, is showing cucumbers which have grown since July 4. Mr. Simpson planted about 200 hills on Independence Day, and two weeks later planted about 500 hills more, following cantaloupes. These are now bearing and are particularly good for pickling.

Mr. Simpson's telephone is L-53 and he will be glad to give any one information about growing a late crop. He believes that this is not an unusually good season and that the same kind of cucumbers can be grown any year. He is also giving the information to J. B. Hill, and this will be an added incentive in getting a pickling plant to locate here.

SEMINOLE COUNTY MAN ARRESTED HERE SUNDAY

Lee Perry, an Indian, was placed in the county jail Sunday by Sheriff Bob Duncan and a liquor charge probably will be filed against him Monday afternoon. Jess Sweet, who is said to live in Seminole county, was taken into custody here Sunday and was being held today for Seminole county officers. Sweet is wanted there on a charge of stealing a suit case and some clothing, according to officers. The deputy sheriff of Seminole county arrived here this morning to escort the man back for trial.

ADA CLUB VICTOR AGAINST DENISON

Locals Find Offerings of Texas Pitchers Easy to Solve.

With two regular out of the lineup Sunday, the Ada ball club batted the Denison pitchers unmercifully and took the big end of the score by 9 to 1. At no time of the game did Denison have a chance. P. Waner holding the visitors at arm's length. In fact he played with the opposing batsmen in about the same way that a cat plays with a mouse. Denison's one run came as a result of P. Waner's failure to cover first base when Rutledge was forced off to accept the chance. Had it not been for the plucky little pitcher's delay in covering this, he would have gone by with only three hits against him. As it was he had a quartet marked up to the credit of the visitors.

In the absence of Paul Young, Roach covered the third base very creditably. He was responsible for the two errors against the home aggregation, but he accepted many hard chances and handled the stick acceptably. Zip West, playing center field in the absence of Taylor, old not get any chances in the field, but he got three free walks and one safe hit, making a total batting average of 1.00 for the day.

P. Waner in addition to pitching a good game, led his team mates in batting, getting four safe ones out of five trips to the plate. Fain, Cover and McMillan got a couple each.

The Ada batters had no mercy. After Moore was replaced by the old Detroit leading pitcher, Tex Covington, they still murdered the offerings.

The visitors have a fair ball club, though the players work too slowly and are weak on pitchers. Their listless attitude had much to do in slowing the game up and keeping it from being interesting. Probably one could not expect anything else, as they come from a city whose pace is set by the Frisco and Katy railroads.

The team will be away from home next Sunday, but then will return for several games on the local diamond. The game Sunday by innings:

First
Denison—Atkins singled to left field. Covington bunted a fast one to Roach resulting in a double play. Roach to R. Waner. To Rutledge. Hollis struck out. One hit, no error, no runs.
Ada—R. Waner singled. Fain flew out to MacMillan. P. Waner lifted a three base hit over the left fielder, scoring R. Waner. Rutledge, scoring R. Waner. To King. P. Waner scoring on the play. Sparks walked. Roach was safe on Asberry's error, but Sparks was caught trying to reach third. Two hits, no error, two runs.

Second
Denison—McLemore struck out. Asberry struck out. King was safe on Roach's error. Stewart struck out. No hits, one error, no runs.
Ada—Cover hit out to Hollis. West walked. MacMillan hit a grounded out. Asberry, forcing West, but was caught between second and third by Asberry. No hits, no errors, no runs.

Third
Denison—Morgan struck out. Moore hit a two bagger to right field and went to third on a wild pitch. Atkins hit to P. Waner and Roach tagged out Moore at third. Covington was out P. Waner to Rutledge. One hit, no errors, no runs.

Ada—R. Waner flew out to Atkins. Fain singled over short. P. Waner was out Hollis to King. Fain taking second. Rutledge flew out to Moore. One hit, no errors, no runs.

Fourth
Denison—Hollis walked. MacLemore was out R. Waner to Rutledge. Hollis taking second on the play. Asberry was out Cover to Rutledge. Hollis taking third. King singled scoring Hollis. Stewart grounded out to Rutledge. One hit, no errors, one run.

Ada—Sparks was safe when Asberry threw wild to first. Roach hit to Hollis, forcing Sparks at second. Cover was out Moore to King. Roach taking second. West walked. MacMillan struck out. No hits no errors, no runs.

Fifth
Denison—Morgan was out Fain to Rutledge. Moore was out Roach to Rutledge. Atkins flew out to R. Waner. No hits, no runs, no errors.
Ada—R. Waner grounded out to King. Fain singled through second. P. Waner singled, sending Fain to third. Cover stole second, drawing a throw on which Fain scored. Rutledge hit to Moore, who caught Waner between second and third. Mor2 can dropped a long fly by Sparks. Sparks taking second and Rutledge third. Roach flew out to Hollis. Two hits, one error, one run.

Sixth
Denison—Covington was out P. Waner to Rutledge. Hollis was out Roach to Rutledge. MacLemore walked. Asberry was out Fain to Rutledge. No hits, no runs, no error.
Ada—Cover hit for two bases. West walked. MacMillan singled, scoring Cover. R. Waner struck out. Fain was out Hollis to King, advancing West and MacMillan. P. Waner doubled, scoring West and MacMillan. Rutledge doubled, scoring Waner. At this place Tex Covington supplanted Moore as pitcher for the visitors. Sparks was out Covington to King. Four hits, no errors, four runs.

Seventh
Denison—King was out P. Waner to Rutledge. Stewart singled. Morgan was hit by a pitched ball. MacLemore flew out to Sparks. Stewart

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taking third. Atkins struck out. One hit, no errors, no runs.

Ada—Roach grounded out to King. Cover singled through first. West singled, sending Cover to third. West stole second. MacMillan singled, scoring Cover and West. R. Waner hit into a double play, Hollis to Atkins to King. Three hits no errors, two runs.

Eighth
Denison—Covington was out P. Waner to Rutledge. Hollis flew out to MacMillan. MacLemore struck out. No hits, no errors, no runs.
Ada—Fain flew out to King. P. Waner singled and stole second. Rutledge walked, sending Waner to third. Sparks and Roach struck out. One hit no errors, no runs.

Ninth
Asberry was out P. Waner to Rutledge. King struck out. Moore was safe on Roach's error. Atkins flew out to R. Waner. No hits, one error, no runs.

Denison	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Atkins 2nd	4	0	1	5	2	0
Covington lf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Hollis 3rd	3	1	0	3	3	0
MacLemore cf	3	0	0	1	1	0
Asberry ss	4	0	0	0	2	2
King 1st	4	0	1	8	0	0
Stewart c	4	0	1	5	0	0
Morgan rf	3	0	0	0	1	1
Moore p	3	0	1	2	2	0
	33	1	4	24	10	3

Ada	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
R. Waner ss	5	1	1	3	2	0
Fain 2nd	5	1	2	0	2	0
P. Waner p	5	2	4	0	6	0
Rutledge 1st	4	0	1	13	0	0
Sparks rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Roach 3rd	5	0	0	1	3	2
Cover c	4	2	2	8	1	0
West cf	1	2	1	0	0	0
MacMillan lf	4	1	3	1	0	0
	37	9	13	27	14	2

Bases stolen. MacMillan, 2. Fain, 1. West, 1. Rutledge, 2. Two base hits. Cover, Moore, 2. Three base hit, P. Waner. Double plays, Roach to Waner to Rutledge; Hits off Moore 9 in 6 2-3 innings. Hits off Covington, 4 in 2 1-3 innings.

From Farmer Boy to College Chair This Educator's Record

(By the Associated Press)
LAFAYETTE, Ind., Aug. 22.—From a farm boy to vice-president and directing head of Purdue university, one of the leading agricultural and engineering universities in the country, is the unsought honor that has been bestowed upon Henry W. Marshall, of this city. Mr. Marshall was born near Springfield, O., January 29, 1865, but was reared on a farm near Montmorenci, Ind. He attended the grade and high schools in the rural district, but his greatest schooling has been in the world of experience.

When a young man Mr. Marshall left the farm and came to Lafayette. His first employment was a book-keeper. He had the intuition of men who do things, however, and it was not long until he was engaged in construction work. He became county in the sixty-first, six-bridge company, holding that position until it was absorbed by the American Bridge company. He then became president and general manager of the Western Construction company, and for many years was president of the electric light, heat, water and street railway company at Evansville. He disposed of his utility holdings a year ago, also his interest in the construction company.

Mr. Marshall represented Tippecanoe county in the sixty-first, sixty-second and sixty-third general assemblies of the Indiana legislature and during the sixty-third session was speaker of the house. He was vice-president of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition held at St.

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